GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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NAXALISM
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Chief Ministers of Naxal affected States have recently held discussions with the Union Government on the Naxal problem;

(b) If so, the details thereof and the outcome of such discussion;

(c) The details of naxal activities reported during 2006 as compared to the corresponding period of the previous year;

(d) The number of civilian, security personnel and Naxalite/Maoists killed/injured and the property damaged in such activities, State-wise;

(e) The details of funds provided by the Union Government for development and reimbursement of security related expenditure to naxal affected States in the country during each of the last three years;

(f) Whether the Nepalese Maoists are hiding their arms in India particularly in Uttaranchal, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and West Bengal as reported in The Times of India, dated September 25, 2006; and

(g) If so, the facts thereof and the steps taken by the Government to check such activities of Naxalites/Maoists in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) & (b): The 2nd Meeting of the Standing Committee of the Chief Ministers of the naxal affected States was held on April 13, 2006 under the Chairmanship of the

Prime Minister. In the meeting, some of the important decisions taken include according the highest priority to effectively combating the naxalite menace; States to prepare/revise and implement comprehensive but realistic action plans at the State and District levels with short term and long term approaches and strategies to combat the naxalite menace on both security and development fronts; States to give higher priority and focused attention on socio- economic development in the naxal affected areas through convergence of existing developmental schemes and fund missing links, if any, in these schemes by utilizing funds under BDI, Backward Regions Grant Fund etc.

(c): During the current year till 31st October, there have been 1272 incidents of naxal violence as against 1361 incidents in the corresponding period of last year.

(d): As per available information, the number of civilians, security personnel and naxalites killed and the property damaged during the current year (upto October 31) are as under:

States	Civilians killed	Security personnel killed	Naxalities killed	Property damaged
Andhra Pradesh	33	10	108	62,25,000
Jharkhand	-	71	28	18	80,00,000
Chhattisgarh	292	73	52	9,65,43,000
Bihar	34	5	4	7,75,000
Maharashtra	33	2	12	85,11,765
Orissa	4	4	12	2,50,000
Uttar Pradesh	4	-	4	-
Madhya Pradesh	1	-	-	-
West Bengal	9	7	-	10,00,000

(e): The details of funds provided in the last three years under the Backward Districts Initiative (BDI) component of the Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana (RSVY) to fill in the critical gaps in social and physical infrastructure in the naxal affected areas, are as under:

2003-04- Rs. 167.50 cr.
2004-05- Rs. 395.00 cr.
2005-06- Rs.. 427.50 cr.

In addition, Rs. 250 crore per annum has been released for the Special Plan for the KBK districts covering eight districts of Orissa including four naxal affected districts, namely, Malkangiri, Koraput, Rayagada and Navrangpur.

Reimbursement and the advance releases made to the naxal affected States under the SRE Scheme during 2004-05 to 2006-07 (till date) are as under:-

(Rs. in lakhs)

States	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2006-07 (Advance release)
Andhra Pradesh	282.00	1316.03	-	200.00
Jharkhand	-	341.27	605.85	497.33 200.00
Chhattisgarh	200.00	200.14	-	500.00
Bihar	60.41	434.99	-	-
Maharashtra	125.55	272.16	-	200.00
Orissa	65.77	254.60	-	200.00
Uttar Pradesh	-	605.85	-	-
Madhya Pradesh	23.52	108.00	-	100.00
West Bengal	-	227.53	-	150.00

(f): No such reports have come to the notice of the Government.

(g): Does not arise